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Inventor(s) : Wolfgang DULTZ et al.
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INTENSITY PROFILE OF A LASER BEAM
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Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

SIR:

Kindly amend the above-identified application before examination, as set forth below.

IN THE TITLE:

Please replace the title with the following:

—METHOD AND DEVICE FOR FORMING THE INTENSITY PROFILE OF A
LASER BEAM—.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification, including abstract, pursuant to the attached substitute specification. Also attached is a red-lined copy of the specification, indicating deleted and added sections. No new matter has been added.

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